



Anne Hutchinson



Cory Hutchinson and Burke Cornish



Brief Biography



- Lived 1591-1643
- Originally from England, moved to America in 1634 and settled in New England.
- Had 15 children
- Considered a religious leader and a midwife (someone who assists in childbirth).
- Very uncommon for women to play a role in religious problems. Challenged the local priest about the bible's teaching.

Colonial Region?

Massachusetts Bay colony in the New England then later in Rhode Island

What did she do?

- Challenged the bible and interpreted it into her own words
- Had a group that followed her interpretation
- Church officials did not like her teaching, found it disrespecting the religion
- Considered a heretic and excommunicated
- Banished from the Church of Boston